

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION**

ROSIE RIVERA-CROUTHER

Plaintiff,

v.

NATIONWIDE COLLECTIONS, INC.,

Defendant.

**DECLARATION OF ROSIE
RIVERA-CROUTHER IN
SUPPORT OF PROVE-UP OF
DAMAGES**

Civil Action No. 08-cv-2683

**Judge Holderman
Magistrate Judge Keys**

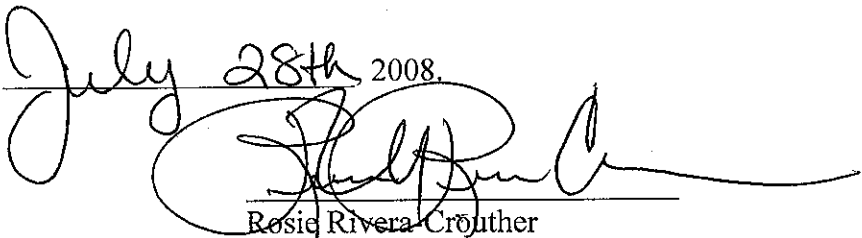
**DECLARATION OF ROSIE RIVERA-CROUTHER
IN SUPPORT OF PROVE-UP OF DAMAGES**

I, Rosie Rivera-Crouther, declare under penalty of perjury, as provided for by the laws of the United States, 28 U.S.C. §1746, that the following statements are true and correct:

1. I am the Plaintiff in this lawsuit.
2. I reside in Aurora, Illinois.
3. I received a collection letter from Nationwide Collections, Inc. dated January 31, 2008.
4. A true and correct copy of the letter I received from Nationwide Collections, Inc. is attached to my First Amended Complaint as Exhibit A.
5. I never had an account with Columbia House.
6. On February 9, 2008, I called Nationwide several times without being connected to a live person.
7. On February 11, 2008, a female employee of Nationwide returned my calls.

8. I asked why the bill was sent to me since I did not have a Columbia House account.
9. The caller stated that I had made previous payments on the account.
10. I denied making any payments on the account.
11. The caller asked me if I had lived at 1619 Country Lakes Drive. I stated that she did four to five years ago.
12. I stated that I would not pay this alleged debt.
13. The caller stated that I could do as I please and that she would make a note that I denied payment.
14. I have not paid this alleged debt.
15. As of today's date, Nationwide has not sued me.

Executed in Chicago, Illinois, on

July 28th 2008.

Rosic Rivera-Crouther
Aurora, Illinois